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Please Note: New vendors and subcontractors must supply all of the required paperwork (Appendix I, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters) and must register in the Online Representations and Department of Certification Application (ORCA). In addition, all Vendors must also be registered in the CCR within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.

Marketing and Regulatory Programs

FV-309

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Agricultural Marketing Service

This Invitation is for Small Business Set-Aside only; see FAR 52.219-6 Notice of Total Small Business Set-Aside.

Washington, DCDate Issued: August 12, 2005 20250

Dry Legumes, Announcement FV-309, Invitation 009

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell dry legumes as indicated below and per the Announcement for distribution to the Needy Family and other domestic food assistance programs. Offers are due by 1 p.m., Central Time, Wednesday, August 24, 2005. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, September 2, 2005. Deliveries are to be made from October 1, 2005 to December 31, 2005.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Dry Beans, Blackeye	12/2-lb bag	5,040	cases
Dry Beans, Baby Lima	12/2-lb bag	8,400	cases
Dry Beans, Great Northern	12/2-lb bag	60,480	cases
Dry Beans, Pinto Beans	12/2-lb bag	120,960	cases
Dry Beans, Light Red Kidney	12/2-lb bag	30,240	cases

No offer will be made to 8(a) vendors on this invitation.

- All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.
- · All invitations with orders for the state of New York must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton. The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring this special marking will be indicated by (**). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an invitation.

Note:

Effective August 1, 2005, Contractors are required to submit Annual Representations and Certifications via the Online Representation and Certifications Application (ORCA), a part of Business Partner Network (BPN). The internet address for registering in ORCA is http://orca.bpn.gov. The representations and certifications are effective until one year from the date of submission or update to ORCA. A revised abbreviated appendix 1 dated August 2005 will be required for contractors registering via the ORCA



system. A notice to the trade regarding this requirement was issued on June 28, 2005 at http://www.ams.usda.gov/fv/cp/tradenotices.htm
However, Contractors who have previously (prior to August 1, 2005) submitted the Appendix 1 for calendar year 2005 will be relieved from the ORCA online registration until the expiration of the Appendix 1.

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the Internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The Internet address is: http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes which translates into a connection of https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?. Once connected, follow the online procedures. A 'HELP' button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Inquiries about Announcement FV-309; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specification for Dry, Edible Beans, Peas and Lentils, dated April 2004; or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-0239, telephone (202) 720-4517. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement FV-309, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Split shipments are indicated by a single asterisk (*).

INVITATION : 009

COMM GROUP : 42 LEGUMES, DRY

COMM TYPE : 05 BEANS, BLACKEYE, DRY

PACK SIZE : 12 12/2 LB PKG DESTINATION TRANS
CITY ST RESTR QUANTITY PRICE PER ITEM NO (CSE) (CSE) ----DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/05 - 10/31/05 001 LONG BEACH CA TRUCK ONLY 1,680 DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/05 - 11/15/05 002 WASHINGTON DC TRUCK ONLY 1,680 DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/05 - 12/15/05 003 ORANGE CA TRUCK ONLY 1,680 TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 5,040 COMM TYPE : 15 BEANS, BABY LIMA, DRY PACK SIZE : 12 12/2 LB PKG ITEM DESTINATION ITEM DESTINATION TRANS QUANTITY PRICE PER NO CITY ST RESTR (CSE) (CSE) DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/05 - 11/15/05 004 NEW ORLEANS LA TRUCK ONLY 1,680 005 BATON ROUGE LA TRUCK ONLY 800 NEW ORLEANS LA TRUCK ONLY 880

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1,680

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COMM GROUP : 42 LEGUMES, DRY
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CITY ST RESTR QUANTITY PRICE PER ITEM NO (CSE) (CSE) DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/05 - 11/30/05 007 NEW ORLEANS LA TRUCK ONLY 3,360 TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 8,400 COMM TYPE : 25 BEANS, GREAT NORTHERN, DRY PACK SIZE : 12 12/2 LB PKG ITEM DESTINATION TRANS QUANTITY PRICE PER NO CITY ST RESTR (CSE) (CSE) ITEM DESTINATION NO CITY ST RESTR (CSE) (CSE) DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/05 - 10/15/05 MA TRUCK ONLY 1,680 008 BOSTON 009 CREEDMOOR NC TRUCK ONLY 3,360 010 SALISBURY NC TRUCK ONLY 1,680 IL TRUCK ONLY 1,680 _ 011 CHICAGO 012 COLUMBUS OH TRUCK ONLY 858 OH TRUCK ONLY 822 LOGAN 013 NEW ORLEANS LA TRUCK ONLY 1,680 1,680 _____ 014 SACRAMENTO CA TRUCK ONLY 015 SAN JOSE CA TRUCK ONLY 1,680

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INVITATION : 009

COMM GROUP : 42 LEGUMES, DRY

COMM TYPE : 25 BEANS, GREAT NORTHERN, DRY

PACK SIZE : 12 12/2 LB PKG

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELI	VERY PERIOD 10	/16/05	- 10/31/05		
016	CHICAGO	IL '	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
DELI	VERY PERIOD 11	/01/05	- 11/15/05		
017	CREEDMOOR	NC '	TRUCK ONLY	3,360	
018	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
019	DETROIT	MI		1,680	
020	CARO FLINT LANSING	MI	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	420	
021	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
022	FAIRFIELD	ОН	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
023	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
024	NEW ORLEANS	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
DELI	VERY PERIOD 11	/16/05	- 11/30/05		
025	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	3,360	
026	DETROIT	MI		1,680	
027	COLUMBUS LOGAN	OH OH	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	858 822	
028	CARTHAGE KANSAS CITY	MO MO		840 840	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 60,480

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COMM TYPE : 25 BEANS, GREAT NORTHERN, DRY

PACK SIZE : 12 12/2 LB PKG

NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	RESTR	(CSE)	(CSE)	
DELI	VERY PERIOD 11/	16/0	5 - 11/30/05			
029	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680		-
030	OXNARD	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680		
031	LAS VEGAS RENO					* (Las Vegas)
DELI	VERY PERIOD 12/	01/0	5 - 12/15/05	i		
032	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	3,360		-
033	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	1,680		- 1
034	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,680		-
035	COLUMBUS	ОН	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	9 <u></u>	28
036	NEW ORLEANS	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	S-	-0
DELI	VERY PERIOD 12/	16/0	5 - 12/31/05	i		
037	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,680		
038	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,680		->
039	SEATTLE WHSE (Alaska)	WA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680		49

INVITATION : 009

COMM GROUP : 42 LEGUMES, DRY
COMM TYPE : 30 BEANS, PINTO, DRY
PACK SIZE : 12 12/2 LB PKG

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELI	VERY PERIOD 10/	01/0	5 - 10/15/05		
	JACKSONVILE/FAS (Puerto Rico)	FL	TRUCK ONLY	3,360	
041	COLUMBIA	SC	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
042	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
043	BENTON HARBOR LANSING OSSINEKE	MI	TRUCK ONLY	420	
044	DETROIT	MI		1,680	
045	ALEXANDRIA	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
	ALBUQUERQUE ALBUQUERQUE	NM NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,680 1,680	
047	OKLAHOMA CITY TULSA		TRUCK ONLY		
048	AUSTIN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
049	MCALLEN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
050	ODESSA	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
051	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,680	·
052	SURPRISE	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
053	RIVERSIDE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	

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NO NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST 	RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELL	VERY PERIOD 10/	01/0	5 - 10/15/05		
054	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	1 <u></u>
055	SALINAS	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
056	SAN FRANCISCO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
057	VISALIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
058	LAS VEGAS RENO		TRUCK ONLY	756 924	*(Las Vegas)
DELI	VERY PERIOD 10/	16/0	5 - 10/31/05		
059	CLARE DETROIT FLINT	MI MI MI	TRUCK ONLY	450 810 420	
060	ALBUQUERQUE FARMINGTON				
061	BAKERSFIELD	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
062	OAKLAND	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
063	RIVERSIDE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
064	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	

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ITEM NO			TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELI	VERY PERIOD 11/	01/0	5 - 11/15/05		
065	JACKSONVILE/FAS (Puerto Rico)	FL	TRUCK ONLY	6,720	
066	CHARLESTON	WV		3,360	
067	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
068	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		1,680	<u></u>
069	LAS CRUCES	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
070	OKLAHOMA CITY TULSA	OK OK	TRUCK ONLY		
071	BEAUMONT	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
072	LAREDO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
073	MCALLEN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
074	SALT LAKE CITY	UT	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
075	MESA	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
076	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	<u></u>
077	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
078	RIVERSIDE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
079	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
080	VISALIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	

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DELI	VERY PERIOD 11/	16/0	5 - 11/30/05		
081	MCALLEN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
082	KANSAS CITY	MO		3,360	
083	RIVERSIDE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	<u> </u>
084	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
085	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
DELI	VERY PERIOD 12/	01/0	5 - 12/15/05		
086	JACKSONVILE/FAS (Puerto Rico)	FL	TRUCK ONLY	6,720	
087	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
088	FAIRFIELD	ОН	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
089	ALBUQUERQUE ALBUQUERQUE	NM NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,680 1,680	
090	GALLUP	MM	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
091	OKLAHOMA CITY TULSA	OK OK	TRUCK ONLY	1,008 672	
092	BELL GARDEN GROVE	CA CA		840 840	
093	RIVERSIDE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
094	VISALIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	

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NO CITY ST RESTR QUANTITY PRICE PER (CSE) (CSE) DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/05 - 12/31/05 095 COLUMBIA SC TRUCK ONLY 1,680 096 LAS CRUCES NM TRUCK ONLY 1,680 097 KANSAS CITY MO 1,680 098 RIVERSIDE CA TRUCK ONLY 1,680 099 SAN DIEGO CA TRUCK ONLY 1,680 100 PORTLAND OR TRUCK ONLY 1,680 TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 120,960 COMM TYPE : 45 BEANS, LIGHT RED KIDNEY, DRY PACK SIZE : 12 12/2 LB PKG ITEM ITEM DESTINATION TRANS QUANTITY PRICE PER NO CITY ST RESTR (CSE) (CSE) DESTINATION (CSE) (CSE) DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/05 - 10/15/05 101 LATHAM NY TRUCK ONLY 1,680 ** 102 BATON ROUGE LA TRUCK ONLY 1,680 840 __ CARTHAGE MO KANSAS CITY MO 103 CARTHAGE 840

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	DESTINATION CITY		TRANS RESTR		
DELI	VERY PERIOD 10/	16/0	5 - 10/31/05		
104	EAST SYRACUSE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	**
105	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
DELI	VERY PERIOD 11/	01/0	5 - 11/15/05		
106	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	**
107	LATHAM	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	**
108	MILLWOOD ROCHESTER				**
DELI	VERY PERIOD 11/	16/0	5 - 11/30/05		
109	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
DELI	VERY PERIOD 12/	01/0	5 - 12/15/05		
110	CADILLAC	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
111	BENTON HARBOR CLARE FLINT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	420 450 810	
112	BATON ROUGE NEW ORLEANS				
113	NEW ORLEANS	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
114	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,680	

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ITEM DESTINATION TRANS NO CITY ST RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/05 - 12/31/05		
115 CHICAGO IL TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
116 NEW ORLEANS LA TRUCK ONLY	3,360	
117 LONG BEACH CA TRUCK ONLY	1,680	
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE	30,240	
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION	225,120	

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